

In the Claims:

Please Cancel claims10-15, 18, and 21-28.

Please amend claims 1-3, in the following manner:

1. (Once Amended) A door for at least partially covering a doorway in a wall and being able to recover from an impact, comprising:

a resilient core;

a flexible covering that at least partially covers the resilient core to comprise a first door panel having a relaxed shape disposed along a plane, the first door panel being at least thickness compressible and further being able to substantially recover its relaxed shape after an impact causes appreciable distortion in the first door panel, the first door panel being further able to transmit in a direction within the plane a compressive load having a magnitude below a first threshold without appreciable distortion to the first door panel; and

an actuation system coupled to the first door panel to render the first door panel moveable laterally to the doorway between a doorway blocking position and an unblocking position while inhibiting the first door panel from rotating about a vertical axis.

2. (Once Amended) The door of claim 1, wherein the first door panel is able to transmit a compressive load within the plane and having a magnitude which is at least equal to the weight of the resilient core.



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3. (Once Amended) The door of claim 1, wherein the first door panel is able to transmit a compressive load within the plane and having a magnitude which is at least equal to the weight of the resilient core plus the weight of the flexible covering.

Please add the following new claims:

- 29. The door of claim 1, wherein the first door panel is vertically compressible by a force in the plane having a magnitude above the first threshold and is further able to recover its relaxed shape after the force is at least one of reduced below the first threshold and removed.
- 30. A door for at least partially covering a doorway in a wall and being able to recover from an impact, comprising:

a resilient core;

a flexible covering that at least partially covers the resilient core to comprise a first door panel having a relaxed shape disposed along a plane, wherein the first door panel is able to substantially recover its relaxed shape after the impact causes appreciable distortion in the first door panel, and the first door panel is vertically compressible by a force in a direction within the plane having a magnitude above a first threshold and is further able to recover its relaxed shape after the force is at least one of reduced below the first threshold and removed; and

an actuation system coupled to the first door panel to render the first door panel moveable laterally to the doorway between a doorway blocking position

